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INFO RUEHKPI/AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD 7722  
RUQVLR/AMEMBASSY KABUL 341  
RUEHMO/AMEMBASSY MOSCOW 1339  
RUFHND/AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI 1704  
RUEHTP/AMEMBASSY TAIPEI 5354  
RUESHR/AMEMBASSY TEHRAN 74  
RUEHKO/AMEMBASSY TOKYO 5371  
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SUBJECT: PRC RECOGNIZES AFGHAN REPUBLIC

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NCNA, JULY 28 CARRIED REPORT OF JULY 17 ESTABLISHMENT OF THE  
REPUBLIC OF AFGHANISTAN AND ANNOUNCEMENT THAT THE PRC ON  
JULY 23 HAD RECOGNIZED THE NEW GOVERNMENT. THE ARTICLE QUOTED  
MOHAMMAD DAUD'S STATEMENT IN HIS JULY 17 RADION SPEECH THAT THE  
FOREIGN POLICY OF HIS GOVERNMENT WOULD BE BASED ON NEUTRALITY AND  
NON-ALIGNMENT.

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